(क) प्रति 10 सेकण्डों के स्पाट के लिए 1000 रुपए से 12,000 रुपए तक भिन्न-भिन्न स्पाट खरीद दरें हैं।

(ग) से (ङ) अहमदाबाद, दूरदर्शन केन्द्र पर लागू वर्तमान दरें मार्च, 1994 में निर्धारित की गई थीं। वर्तमान में किसी और संशोधन का विचार नहीं है।

SHRI GOPALSINH G. SOLANKI: Sir, keeping the time in view, I would like to ask a supplementary in short. The income has risen from Rs. 3.03 crores to Rs. 6.01 crores, but the rates of advertisement have also been raised, and they vary from Rs. 1,000/- to Rs. 12,000/- per 10 second spot. May I know the type of rates that have been raised and whether the Government is going to set up a panel to study this particular aspect, to increase the advertisement income by reducing the rate of advertisement?

I would also like to now whether the Government is going to modify or correct or improve the quality of broadcasting, keeping the Indian culture in view.

SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO: Sir, about the last part, most certainly, yes, we would like to improve the quality as well as keep the cultural aspect in view.

As far as the suggestion made by the hon member is concerned, it shall have to be examined from all its aspects. Before I can say anything or make a commitment here I shall have to examine it first. Without that, it will not be proper for me to make a commitment here.

MR. CHAIRMAN: Second Supplementary.

SHRI GOPALSINH G. SOLANKI: No, Sir.

Losses suffered by Public/private sector banks

*28. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN:
SHRI VIREN J. SHAH:†

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the public and private sector banks which have suffered losses during each of the last three years;

(b) the extent of loss suffered by each bank during the above period, year-wise;

(c) whether the World Bank has recently offered funding the tier-II capital of sick public sector banks;

(d) what are the concrete details of the World Bank's offer;

(e) what steps Government have taken or propose to take to enable the sick public sector banks to avail of this offer; and

(f) whether there are any proposals under Government's consideration to merge the sick banks with other public sector banks or to close down such banks which are not economically viable, if so, what are the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M. V. CHANDRASHEKHAR MURTHY): (a) to (f) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement

Losses suffered by public private sector banks

(a) and (b) The details of losses suffereds by banks in the public and

† The Question was actually asked on the floor of the House by Shri Viren J. Shah.

private sectors during 1991-92, 192-93 and 1993-94 are given below:

(Rs. in crores)

Public Sector Banks	1991-92	1992-93	(*) 1993-94
1. Allahabad Bank	..	105.84	367.72
2. Andhra Bank	..	141.08	162.25
3. Bank of India	..	331.12	1089.15
4. Bank of Maharashtra	..	196.51	296.93
5. Central Bank of India	..	383.31	711.93
6. Dena Bank	..	90.16	69.84
7. Indian Overseas Bank	..	752.74	351.18
8. Punjab & Sind Bank	..	195.19	175.98
9. Syndicate Bank	..	670.08	299.4
10. United Bank of India	..	279.36	618.06
11. UCO Bank	20.99	444.19	546.45
12. Vijaya Bank	..	97.88	..
13. New Bank of India	41.52	75.79	(merged with Punjab National Bank)

(*) Three banks viz., Indian Bank, Punjab National Bank and State Bank of Saurashtra have not so far finalised their accounts for the year 1993-94.

Private Sector Banks :—

1. Benaras State Bank Ltd.	..	15.39	Accounts not yet finalised
2. Lord Krishna Bank Ltd.	0.78	..	-do-

(c) to (e) The World Bank has not offered funding for tier-II capital of sick public sector banks. However, a proposal for Financial capital of some banks could be an element.

(f) No such proposal is under consideration at present.

SHRI VIREN J. SHAH: Sir, this statement is different from the statement that appeared in "The Economic Times" of the 29th of June, 1994, wherein it was stated that a circular was sent to the Chiefs of all loss-making banks about this. How is this loss going to be made up? In what way are you planning to see that the banks do not make losses?

There was a statement, I think, by one of the authorities about merger of sick units etc., but, in the reply, it has been said that no such proposal is under consideration. What is the fact?

MR. CHAIRMAN: The Question Hour is over.